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# Town of Wentworth.

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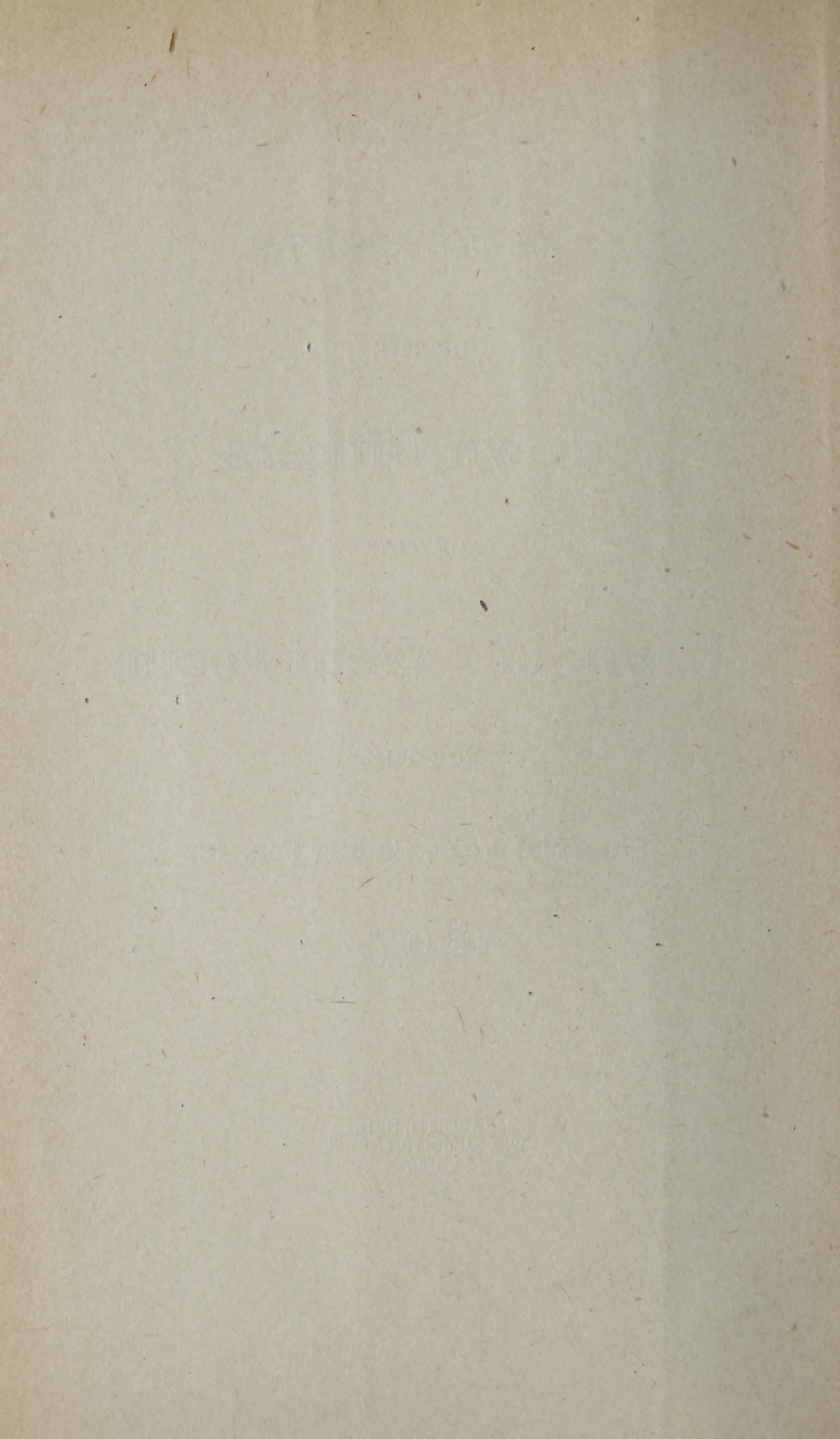




ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
Town Officers  
OF THE  
Town of Wentworth,  
FOR THE  
Financial Year, Ending Feb. 15,  
1897.

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1897.



## ***Treasurer's Report.***

For The Year Ending Feb. 15, 1897.

### RECEIPTS.

Feb. 15, 1896, Cash in hands of Treasurer,	\$ 930 00
Received From:	
Leased land,	51 50
County pauper bills,	122 46
State Treasurer's bounties,	1 00
Railroad tax,	314 00
Savings Bank tax,	629 18
Literary fund,	82 60
W. H. Davis, Collector 1895,	264 91
W. H. Davis, Collector, 1896,	3150 00
W. H. Davis Town Clerk and dog license,	60 60
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	\$5586 38

### DISBURSEMENTS:

Paid:	
County tax 1896,	550 21
State tax 1896,	560 00
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	\$1110 21

### SOCIETY MONEY.

Paid:	
Universalist Society two years.	15 76
Congregational Society, one year,	6 31
Baptist Society, one year,	7 88
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	29 95
Board of Education,	1109 10
Miscellaneous bills paid by order on treasurer,	2440 57



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Cash in hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1897,	896 55
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JOHN A. DAVIS, Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

L. W. CURRIER, }  
I. L. DOWNING, } Auditors.

### *Report of Selectmen.*

For the year ending Feb. 15th 1897,

Amount of taxes assessed for the year 1896,	\$3,596 72
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Selectmen have received and paid to the town treasurer from County for support of paupers, May term,

122 46

From State for bounties,

1 00

" bal. due after paying state taxes,

465 78

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589 24

Selectmen have given orders on the town treasurer for payment of the following bills:

School Board, school money,	1,109 10
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Library Trustees, appropriation and balance due from last year,	49 48
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Road Agent, 1895,	65 14
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" 1896,	1,517 72
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#### COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid:

William Crane for board, care, medical attendance, and burial expenses for Peter Clifford,	77 96
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#### TOWN PAUPER.

Paid:

W. G. Dexter for board and care of Joseph Clark, 1 year,	52 00
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J. S. Breck, for board, house rent, supplies and care for Amos Underwood,	\$16 57	
F. A. Durkee, medical visits, A. Underwood,	20 00	
J. A. Davis, goods furnished, " "	5 76	
		<hr/> \$94 33

## MISCELLANEOUS.

## PAID:

J. W. Lyon, supplies for bridge lamp,	38	
J. B. Foster, cash paid out,	4 33	
J. Davis, goods to clerk and school board,	4 78	
E. C. Eastman, for blanks,	4 30	
W. W. Johnson, for keeping 17 tramps,	8 50	
Universalist Society, rent on lease land, 2 years,	15 76	
Congregational Society, rent on lease land, 2 years,	12 62	
F. W. Baptist, rent on lease land 1 year,	7 88	
J. P. Currier, perambulating town line,	4 00	
Selectmen for bounties,	1 00	
F. R. Gove, for painting guide boards,	86	
G. M. Downing, appraising damage by dogs,	1 00	
L. P. Witcher, appraising damage by dog,	1 00	
Alonzo Sanders, damage to sheep by dogs,	30 00	
E. E. Ladd, M. D., return of births and deaths,	75	
Warren News, printing reports,	17 50	
W. A. Flanders retainer and services,	13 00	
L. W. Moore, use of watering trough,	2 00	
F. A. Randall, use of watering trough,	2 00	
J. D. Marston, use of watering trough,	2 00	
Mrs. Ellen Pillsbury, use of watering trough 2 years	4 00	
J. B. Foster, use of watering trough	1 50	
School board, school supplies,	119 93	
J. B. Brown, supplies for bridge lamp,	50	
G. H. Brown, for lighting bridge,	15 00	
		<hr/> \$274 59



## TOWN OFFICERS.

## Paid:

E. G. Tenney, services as member school board,	17 00
F. B. Boyd, services as member school board,	25 00
L. S. Crosby, services as member school board, and district treasurer,	18 00
J. B. Foster, services as selectman,	75 00
J. E. Foster, services as selectman,	40 00
G. W. Boyd, services as selectman,	25 00
J. A. Davis, Town Treasurer,	25 00
Wm. H. Davis, Town and district clerk,	30 00
L. W. Currier, services as supervisor, two years,	12 00
Thomas Huckins, services as supervisor two years,	12 00
J. W. Lyon, services as supervisor two years,	12 00
Auditors for auditing books, Feb. 1896,	6 00
W. H. Davis, Collector for 1895.	5 30
W. H. Davis, Collector for 1896,	63 00

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 365 30

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

L. W. CURRIER,  
J. L. DOWNING. } Auditors

Abatements 1894 tax,	5 59
Abatements 1895,	9 01
James Hardy 1896 tax, moved from state.	94
A. L. & W. G. Brown excess,	7 52

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## ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer,	896 55
Due from Collector 1895 unpaid taxes,	13 14
Due from Collector 1896 unpaid taxes,	438 26



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Due from rents on leased land,	40 00
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	1387 95
Balance in favor of town last year,	1268 90
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Net gain for the year.	119 05

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN B. FOSTER,	}	<i>Selectmen of Wentworth.</i>
JOSHUA E. FOSTER,		
GEORGE W. BOYD,		

**Road Agent's Report.**

From Feb. 15, 1896 to Mar. 7, 1896.

H. C. Blood, labor on highways,	14 05
For Snow Bill:	
J. S. Creck,	1 00
Henry Bhase,	6 89
C. Kenneson,	4 00
L. Downing,	75
B. Randall,	2 70
Nelson Ellsworth,	7 18
Willie Randall,	2 55
F. A. Randall,	3 82
John Ramsay,	1 00
A. J. Kimball,	45
Thomas Huckins,	1 20
H. B. Pease,	2 00
G. H. True,	1 35
J. B. Foster,	3 30
J. E. Foster,	1 50
E. McGinness,	2 25
F. G. Clough,	3 00
E. M. Poquett,	3 30

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Andy Chase,	2 85
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	\$65 14

H. C. BLOOD, Road Agent.

ROAD AGENTS REPORT FROM MARCH 11, '96, to Feb. 15, '97.

Received orders from selectmen,	\$1,517 72
"    of Betsey H. Downing,	23 82
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	\$1,541 54

Paid out for the following bills:

J. H. Emery, labor,	\$70 70
C. A. Bradbury, labor,	1 50
H. M. Turner, labor,	3 70
W. H. Davis, labor,	12 55
A. N. Heaton, labor,	60 38
Chas. Parker, labor,	8 32
Géo. Bowles, labor,	3 60
E. R. Griffin, labor,	15 97
Climax Road Machine Co., repairs,	8 50
John McLaughlin, labor,	90 87
Geo True, labor,	1 35
H. C. Blood, labor,	41 87
Simon Ellsworth, labor,	32 25
F. A. Randell, labor,	9 10
W. O. Randell, labor,	2 25
Nelson Ellsworth labor,	2 25
Barnard Randell, labor,	7 80
Chas. Crane,	1 50
Joshua Colburn, labor,	7 43
L. P. Whitcher, labor,	8 85
Henry Chase,	17 76
W. E. Sturtevant labor,	6 22
D. N. Eaton, freight,	25



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W. W. Brown, labor,	1 50
C. F. Follansbee, labor,	1 20
O. O. Whitcher, labor and lumber,	45 75
Eben Gove, labor,	11 25
John Page, labor,	46 88
Wm. Dexter, labor,	2 92
J. C. Eames, labor,	1 00
J. B. Foster, labor,	1 50
Andy Chase, labor,	9 75
W. L. Corliss, labor,	4 00
J. H. Clark, labor,	75
G. L. Sturtevant, repairs,	3 05
J. W. Lyons, supplies,	2 75
J. B. Brown, supplies,	68
G. W. Boyd, labor,	4 20
F. A. Atwood, supplies	8 97
H. P. Wells, labor,	6 75
W. M. Simpson, repairs,	50
Lydia Currier, housing machine,	2 00
E. C. Sherwell, labor,	1 00
E. Estes, labor,	14 05
Amos Chase, labor,	1 50
Van Merrill, labor,	3 00
Fred Flanders, labor,	6 00
Artemus Colburn, labor,	12 00
J. E. Foster, labor,	50
C. C. Clifford, labor,	3 22
E. M. Poquet, labor,	2 70
X. P. Wright, labor,	1 00
C. F. Keneson, labor,	60
C. A. Clifford, labor,	2 25
Walter Whitcher,	50
Charles Turner, labor,	2 40

Luther Downing, labor,	90
Thomas Huckins,	75
N. D. Johnson, labor,	2 67
A. J. Kimball, labor,	2 25
H. N. Merrill, lumber,	30 25
H. M. Bowen, lumber,	31 19
James Jewell, lumber,	30 72
A. A. Brown, lumber,	28 73
W. R. Park, lumber,	105 28
J. Colburn, lumber,	30 42
W. A. Whitcher, lumber,	10 34
J. Colburn, labor with team,	195 95
W. A. Whitcher, labor,	98 25
“ “ men and teams,	352 75
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	\$1,541 54

Cost of building dam at Stevens' bridge, \$90 32

Respectfully submitted,

W. A. WHITCHER,

JOB COLBURN,

} Road Agents.

### ***School Report.***

In presenting you with the report for the schools for the past year we will be brief.

We have maintained seven schools amounting to 166 weeks including two weeks of last year's money, that was not used in the Foster division in '96 on account of sickness.

All things considered, we think we have been quite fortunate in securing teachers, and they have done good work.

The scholars have made good advancement in most of their studies. As a rule they neglect grammar too much, and its use must be enforced more. The order has been excellent in most of the schools. Some of our young teachers appearing like veterans in the work.



We never had so good a showing for the number of scholars on the roll of honor, as the fall term had this year. We hope it will stimulate them to try again.

There is one lamentable fact that ought to be remedied viz., the keeping of children at home a whole term for some trivial excuse. Our schools are necessarily short and every day ought to find the children diligently employed in the school room. We hope this will not occur again.

We have changed geographys with good results, and put in two portfolios, to be changed from school to school, and there must be a change in readers the coming year.

Thanking teachers and scholars who have at all times been very courteous and respectful, we submit this, our report for the past year.

I. S. CROSBY, FANNIE B. BOYD.

#### ROLL OF HONOR.

1st. Term, Mildred Libby, George Courtney, Lewis Eaton, Arthur Wright, Harry E. Wright, Nellie M. Randall, Stella M. Randall, Maud S. Johnson, Elmer H. Pease, Bert J. Downing, Orville H. Brown, Harry M. Colburn, Clyde H. Colburn, Eva M. Breck, Lura A. Brown, Alice G. Martin, Mary C. Martin, Viola B. Rogers, Annie M. Whiteher, Clyde C. Brown, Harold C. Brown, Harry McGinnis, Ray McGinnis, Ivan Whiteher.

2nd. Term, Clarence H. Bowles, George M. Courtney, Chas. M. Courtney, Calvin W. Clifford, Willie I. Crosby, Annie F. Crosby, Gertrude M. Darling, Pauline C. Davis, Percival E. Estes, Lewis C. Eaton, Frederick Harriman, Lena G. Libby, Mildred E. Libby, Susie E. McLaughlin, Ernest W. Savage, Marion E. Savage, Ralph Whiteher, Elizabeth A. Griffin, Arthur G. Wright, Harry E. Wright, Alfred H. Rollins, George E. Rollins, Mertie B. Colburn, Maggie M. Rollins, Nellie Randall, Stella Randall, Maud S. Johnson, Wesley J. Breck, Orville H. Brown, Henry J. Brown, Ervin Stafford, Chas. Stafford

Lura A. Brown, Eva M. Breck, Viola B. Rogers, Annie Whitcher, Clyde Brown, Harold Brown, Ivan Whitcher, Harry McGinnis, Lottie M. Gove, Effie M. Gove, Allan F. Downing, Lewis W. Gove, Lester K. Gove.

3rd Term, Inez V. Blake, George W. Courtney, Charles W. Courtney, Calvin W. Clifford, Annie F. Crashby, Mildred E. Libby, John E. McLaughlin, Ernest W. Savage, Arthur W. True, Arthur G. Wright, Harry E. Wright, Della B. Hutchins, Alfred H. Rollins, George E. Rollins, Mertie B. Colburn, Maggie M. Rollins, Nellie Randall Maude Johnson, Lura A. Brown, Alice G. Martin, Isabella A. DeWolfe, Lottie M. Gove, Allan F. Downing, Lennie W. Gove, Lester K. Gove, Effie M. Gove, Estella Randall, Henry J. Brown.

### *School Treasurer's Report.*

RECEIVED OF TOWN TREASURER	\$1,109 10
Cash left over from last year,	25 71
Tuition in Foster school,	2 00
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	\$1,136 81

#### VILLAGE SCHOOL.

##### Paid:

M. M. Smith, teaching 10 weeks including board,	\$70 00
D. W. Darling, teaching 18 weeks including board,	135 00
Ralph W. Darling, care of school room 20 weeks,	5 00
George W. Courtney, care of school room, 8 weeks	2 00
R. A. McLaughlin, cleaning school room	2 00
A. Chase, wood,	7 00
H. Blood, repairs,	25
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	\$221 25

#### HUCKINS DISTRICT, EAST SIDE,

##### Paid:

Emily E. Cook, teaching 9 weeks including board,	\$54 00
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Alida Fox, teaching 4 weeks including board and school room,	24 75
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	\$78 75

## WEST SIDE.

## Paid:

Alida Fox, teaching 10 weeks, including board and care of school room,	60 75
P. Huckins, carrying scholars,	6 00
wood, labor and repairs,	9 60
Ina Huckins, cleaning school room,	1 80
Arthur G. Wright, care of school room, 7 weeks,	1 50
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	79 55

## ATWELL HILL DISTRICT.

## Paid:

Meta M. Moses, teaching 8 weeks, including board,	42 00
Geo. E. Brown, teaching 14 weeks, including board and care of school room,	75 50
A. L. Chase, wood,	7 00
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	124 50

## ELLSWORTH HILL DISTRICT.

## Paid:

Eva A. Roberts, teaching 9 weeks, including board,	45 00
Alice M. Brown, teaching 13 weeks, including board and care of school room,	67 00
Arthur, J. Kimball, wood,	5 00
Charles Parker, cleaning school room and care of same spring term,	3 00
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	120 00

## FOSTER DISTRICT.

Paid:

Mary Thompson, teaching two weeks, and board,	12 00
B. B. Foster, teaching 8 wks, board, care school room,	53 00
E. G. Tenney, teaching 16 wks.                   "                   "	106 50
Etta M. Colburn, 2½ cords wood,	6 25
F. B. Boyd, cleaning school room,	1 50
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	\$179 25

## SOUTH WENTWORTH DISTRICT.

Lela G. Brown, teaching 23 weeks, including board and care of school room,	141 25
Ellen G. Foster, cleaning 2 school houses,	4 00
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	145 25

## BUFFALO DISTRICT.

A. J. Kimball, teaching 22 wks., board, care sch. room,	113 00
Will Rollins, wood,	2 00
Chas. Turner, repairs,	75
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	\$115 75
J. B. Brown, articles furnished,	85
C. B. Simpson,                   "                   "	57
J. W. Lyon,                   "                   "	1 50
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	\$2 92

Total paid out,	1,067 22
Cash in hands of treasurer,	69 59

I. S. CROSBY, Treasurer of School Board.



Statistical Table.

Name of School	Name of Teacher	Terms		No. Weeks	No. Scholars	Reading	Spelling	Penmanship	Arithmetic	Geography	English	History	Composition	Physiology	Book-keeping	Algebra
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Village	Mary M. Smith	1	10	27	27	27	24	24	24	24	16	4				
Village	T. W. Darling	2	10	28	28	28	25	25	25	25	20	26	25			
Village	T. W. Darling	3	8	34	32	32	28	32	32	31	25	20	25			
Huckins	Emily E. Cook	1	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	6	1	2	7		3	
Huckins	Alida L. A. Fox	2	8	10	10	10	10	10	10	7	1	2	4			
Huckins	Alida L. A. Fox	3	6	8	8	8	8	8	8	6	2	2	4			
Huckins	Alida L. A. Fox	1	8	11	11	11	7	6	6	6	2	2	1			
Atwell Hill	Meta M. Moses	1	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	5	1					
Atwell Hill	George E. Brown	2	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	5	1					
Atwell Hill	George E. Brown	3	6	9	9	9	9	9	9	5	1					
Ellsworth Hill	Eva A. Roberts	1	9	8	8	8	8	8	8	6	4	1		3		
Ellsworth Hill	Alice M. Brown	2	8	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	5	3	1			
Ellsworth Hill	Alice M. Brown	3	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	3				
Foster	Ben B. Foster	1	10	19	19	19	15	15	15	10	2	2				
Foster	Edward Tenney	2	8	19	18	19	16	19	10	10	8	14	3	1		
Foster	Edward Tenney	3	8	19	18	19	16	19	10	10	5	14	8	13		
So. Wentworth	Lela G. Brown	1	9	11	11	11	11	11	8	8	7	7	8			
So. Wentworth	Lela G. Brown	2	14	16	10	10	10	10	8	5	7	1	7	1		
So. Wentworth	Lela G. Brown	3	9	8	8	8	8	8	6	6	3	3				
Buffalo	Ardie I. Kimball	1	8	11	11	11	11	11	10	7	5	1	5	2	1	
Buffalo	Ardie I. Kimball	2	8	11	11	11	11	11	10	7	5	1	5	2	1	
Buffalo	Ardie I. Kimball	3	5	12	12	12	12	12	11	10	8	2	5			

## REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

We have selected for the Public Library, 55 new books, a list of which we include in our report and we hope our selections will be satisfactory to the public.

## FINANCIAL.

Money raised by town for Library for 1896,	33 60
Money remaining from 1895,	15 88
Received from librarian for fines,	2 55

Total Received,	52 03
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## Paid:

For books for Library,	29 37
Librarian for services and articles furnished,	19 61

Total Paid,	48 98
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Cash in hands of Trustees,	3 05
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Ebenezer Gove, J. C. Davis,	{ Trustees of Wentworth Public Library.
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## LIST OF BOOKS ADDED TO WENTWORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY, JAN. 1897.

Number.	Author.
757 Window in Thrums,	Barrie
758 Children of Gibeon,	Besant
759 The World went very well then,	"
760 Editha's Burglar,	Mrs. Burnet
761 John March, Southerner,	George Cable
762 Afloat,	Harry Castleman
763 Among the Trappers,	"
764 In the Saddle,	"
765 Dan of Milbrook,	C. C. Coffin
766 Red Rover,	Cooper
767 Love in Idleness,	F. M. Crawford

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768	Taquisara, Vol. 1,	"
769	" Vol. 2,	"
770	Micah Clark,	Conan Doyle
771	White Company,	"
772	Queen's Necklace,	Alex Damas
773	Regent's Daughter	"
774	Crawford,	Mrs. Gaskill
775	Reign of Terror,	Henty
776	World's Fair Book,	Jenks
777	Three Men in a Boat,	Jerome
778	An Army Wife,	Capt. King
779	Colonel's Daughter,	"
780	Tame Surrender,	"
781	Donovan,	Edna Lyall
782	In The Golden Days,	"
783	Knight Errant,	"
784	We Two	"
785	Won by Waining.	"
786	Little Lame Prince,	D. C. Mulock
787	Makers of Florence,	Mrs. Oliphant
788	Makers of Tenice,	"
789	Capt. January,	L. E. Richards
790	French Revolution; 1848,	Arnand, Saint
791	Tom Grogan,	Hopkinson Smith
792	Sonny,	Ruth McEnery Stuart
793	Henra Esmond,	W. M. Thackery
794	Creen Monvtain Boys,	Thompson
795	Marcella,	Mrs. Humphrey Ward
796	Sir George Tressady, Vol. 1	"
797	" " " 2	"
798	Wide, Wide World,	S. Warren
799	Beside the Bonney River Rush, (Ian MacLaren)	Watson
800	Birds Christmas Carrol,	Wiggin



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801	Stary of Patsey	..
802	Timothy's Quest,	..
803	Madelon,	Mary E. Wilkins
804	Horace Chase,	C. F. Woolson
805	Heir of Redcliffe,	Charlotte Yonge

## GIVEN BY THE STATE,

806	New Hampshire State Papers, Vol. 28,	Bachelor
807	History of 2nd N. H. Regt.	Martin Haynes
808	History of 7th N. H. Regt.	Little
809	Agricultural Year Book, 1895.	
810	Dedication of John Sullivan Monument,	
811	N. H. Manual for General Court, 1897,	
812	N, H. Men at Louisburg, Cape Breton, 1745,	

# Births Registered in the Town of Wentworth for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1896.

Date of Birth.	Name of child (if any)	Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn	No. of Children, 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.	Father's Name.	Mother's Maiden Name.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Feb 4	C. David	M	Living	3	All White.	Chas. F. Kenison	Mary A. Frye	All White	All Wentworth.	Farmer	Vermont	Concord, Vt.	41	39
Mar 8		M	S. B.	9		H. B. Howard	Carrie Day			Clergyman	Lancaster	Derby, Vt.	42	33
Mar 3		F	Living	3		William Crane	Olena S. Clifford			R. K. Employee	England	Wentworth	46	45
Mar 29	Clara Belle	F	"	5		N. S. Kenison	Annie B. Collins			Farmer	Wilmot	Goffstown	32	19
Mar 28	Marion L.	F	"	1		Lucius F. Merrill	Cora L. Locks			Machinist	Plymouth	Boston	28	29
Jun 19	Edna M.	F	"	1		Fred E. Rollins	Emma A. Saunders			Laborer	Campton	Hanover	36	27
July 2	Ethel Maud	F	"	4		Henry Ellsworth	Winnie Thomp's'n			Farmer	Wentworth	England	34	29
July 7		M	"	1		Geo. W. Howard	Flora A. Lowd			Farmer	Lancaster	Plymouth	37	30
July 8		M	"	2		George H. Bowles	Ida M. Dexter			Farmer	Easton	Bethlehem	35	23
Aug. 8	Iva Gladys	F	"	1		Hiram B. Ramsey	Lydia A. Martin			Teamster	Orford	Canada	47	42
Sep. 11	Winthrop	M	"	5		Geo. M. Downing	Bertha Clough			Farmer	Wentworth	Dorchester	34	30
Oct 9		M	"	1		John C. Courtney	Myra Percy			R. R. Employee	Woolford Ont.	Tay. Vt.	40	35
Oct 19		M	"	3		Frank F. Fletcher	Gertrude E. Hall			Miller	Stewartston	Rumney	27	26
Dec 31	Joseph Lyle	M	"	4		Elias McGinnis	Hittv Colburn			Farmer	Canada	Wentworth	39	31

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Wentworth for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1896.

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation of Parents.	1st, 2d or 3d Marriage.	Name residence & Official Station of person by whom married.
Mar 8	Fred L. Wright	Wentworth	21	All White	Farmer	Wentworth	H. P. Wright	Warren	Farmer	All First.	Rev. T. W. Darling
	Lizzie M. Kenerson	"	18		Domestic	Concord Vt	Emogene Harris	Vermont	Farmer		Wentworth
Sep. 3	John A. Page	"	29		Farmer	Littleton	Charles F. Kenison	Concord Vt.	Farmer		Rev. Amos H. Clark
	Mary F. Whipple	"	46		Housekeeper	Wentworth	Mary Frye	Vermont	Physician		Wentworth
Dec. 2	Sidney P. Crane	"	21		R. R. Employee	Wentworth	John T. Page	"	R. R. Empl'e		Rev. R. Sanders
	Susie F. Downing	Northfield	17		Domestic	Wentworth	Mary A. Whipple	England	Farmer		Tilton
Dec. 9	Arthur A. Downing	Wentworth	26		Laborer	Tilton	Alonzo A. Crane	Wentworth	Farmer		Rev. L. W. Prescott
	Lettie D. Crane	"	18		Domestic	Ellsworth	Wm. S. Clifford	Hopkinton	Farmer		Warren
Dec. 10	John P. Currier	"	25		Surveyor	Wentworth	Abbie F. Palmer	Ellsworth	Surveyor		Rev. J. H. Robbins
	Alice W. Sharpe	"	21		Domestic	Boston	Benjamin Downing	England	Artist		Concord
							Martha J. Sherburn	Wentworth			
							William Crane	England			
							Olena S. Clifford	Wentworth			
							Lorenzo W. Currier	England			
							Josephine Pillsbury	Wentworth			
							Henry E. Sharpe	England			
							Mary O. Chase	Gilmanton			



# Deaths Registered in the Town of Wentworth for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1896.

Date of Death.	Name.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married, or Widowed.	Occupat'n	Cause of Death.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.										
Mar 22	Peter Clifford	88	2	2	Wentworth	M		W	Farmer		Moses Clifford	Stevens	Wentworth	Wentworth
Apr 20	Louie B. Rollins	28	2	16	"	F		M	Housewife		George Plummer	Francis Blodgett	Belmont	Dorchester
May 1	Ray C. Crosby	19	9	24	Bath	M		S	Scholar		Isaac S. Crosby	Ella F. Knight	Haverhill	Landaff
Jun 22	A. F. Underwood	62	5	28	Wentworth	M		M	Farmer		Levi Underwood	Betsy Farr	Vermont	Vermont
Jun 22	Ezra B. Currier	83	9	18	Wentworth	M		W	"		Aaron Currier	Abigail Huse	Wentworth	Hampstead
Jun 28	Jewett D. Edson	74	1	4	Vermont	M		M	"		Asa Edson			
Sep 12	Iva G. Ramsey	39	10	15	Wentworth	F		S	Farmer		Hiram Ramsey	Lydia A. Martin	Orford	Canaan
Sep 18	Joshua Colburn	33	9	20	Bath	M		M	R R Empl'e		Uriah Colburn	Betsy Smart	Wentworth	Wentworth
Oct 18	Charles Rollins	80	5	9	Ham'n Falls	M		M	Farmer		Orris Rollins	Lois Gower	Bath	Canada
Oct 23	Elbridge G. True	80	5	9	Wentworth	M		M	Farmer		Currier True	Sally Chase	Canterbury	Warren
Dec 30	Daniel H. Colby	55	5		Wentworth	M		M	Butcher		Samuel S. Colby	Nancy Hassis		

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, TOWN CLERK.

